## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA SOUTHERN DIVISION

JOSÉ ALBERTO AGUILERA-HERNANDEZ, ULISES EDGARDO CRUZ-GONZALEZ, ESMITH GONZALEZ-RODRIGUEZ, VALENTIN ALVARADO-HERNANDEZ, DANIEL RODRIGUEZ-GARCIA, and ESDRAS SAHI MENDIOLA-BORDES, on behalf of themselves and all other similarly situated persons,	) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) )
Plaintiffs,	) C. A. No. 7:16-cv-00028-D
v.	) <u>CLASS ACTION</u>
JACKSONS FARMING COMPANY OF AUTRYVILLE a/k/a JACKSON'S FARMING COMPANY OF AUTRYVILLE, WILLIAM BRENT JACKSON, and WILLIAM RODNEY JACKSON,	) ) ) ) ) ) )
Defendants.	)
ORDER GRANTING PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF COLLECTIVE ACTION AND CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT	
This matter is before the Court on the part	ies' Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of
Collective Action and Class Action Settlement ("Joi	nt Motion"). The Court finds that the proposed
settlement terms are fair, adequate, and within the range	e of reasonableness for preliminary approval, Fed
R. Civ. P. 23(e). Therefore, the Court preliminarily ap	proves the Settlement Agreement entered into by
the parties.	
IT IS SO ORDERED.	
This the day of, 2017.	

U.S. District Judge

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this date a true and correct copy of the proposed *Order Granting*Preliminary Approval of Collective Action and Class Action Settlement was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

This 18th day of January, 2017.

/s/ Paul H. Derrick
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